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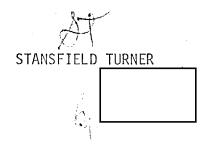
18 January 1979

MEMORANDUM FOR: Legislative Counsel

FROM: Director of Central Intelligence

SUBJECT: Contact with Admiral Matthews

- 1. Rear Admiral Spence Matthews of Congressman Chappell's office called me this morning. He asked if I would be willing to meet with a group of 15 students from Stetson University who were here under a Professor Bailey. They have a very poor image of me and the CIA. Professor Bailey has asked if it would be possible to meet with them for a few minutes to help them understand the value and importance of the intelligence function. He said five minutes would do.
- 2. I volunteered to be in Chappell's office at 0940 on Thursday, the 25th, just before my 1000 briefing to the Armed Services Committee in the same building.
- 3. Matthews was also very upset about the number of Defense people, including our uniformed military, who are likely to retire by the 1st of July because of the prohibition on working for the various people with whom you've done business after you've retired. I wonder if you could give me some explanation of this provision of the new Ethics in Government Act and your feeling as to whether it will affect us.



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